

THE MAN WHO WISHES HE WERE A BOY AGAIN HAS FORGOTTEN HOW MUCH TROUBLE IT WAS BEING A BOY.

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BETHEL STORES OPEN FRIDAY EVENINGS

Beginning on Friday of this week several business places in town will be open on Friday evenings and will close on Saturday evenings.

Those adopting the new closing hours include: Shaw's Market, The Shoe Rack, Brown's Variety Store, A&P Store, Bryant's Market, Fred Hall's and "Spec" Gueney's barber shops.

In Memory of

HARRIET HOLBROOK HALL

She was familiarly known as "Hally" and preferred the nickname. Somehow the name, rhyming with jolly, fitted her gay and fun-loving personality.

One of her most admirable traits was an intense sense of loyalty—loyalty to her family, her friends, her church and her lodge. It was this alone that prevented her from attending a church service; she deplored ever being absent from an Eastern Star or Ladies' Club meeting.

"Hally" liked people. She enjoyed their calls and calling on them.

How indomitable were her courage and pluck! After three serious eye operations and with very little eyesight remaining, she bravely sallied forth each day to pay a call on some friend. It was late last autumn at the onset of her final, painful illness, that she was forced to forego those daily walks and neighborly visits.

One would like to remember her, an erect small figure, with proud head high, waving a cheery farewell as she departed for an unknown land.

RED CROSS

At long last the Red Cross Swimming Certificates earned in classes last summer are being distributed through the kindness of the school teachers. If any are unintentionally skipped please let Mr. Ames know.

Under the leadership of Howard Cole the public spirited solicitors will start the Annual Red Cross Drive on March 1, for the month's campaign. Owing to the huge and extraordinary demands of last year's floods in the East and Pacific States, our quota has been increased to over \$800. It was \$700 last year. When called upon please think of the host of sufferers who have been helped, and of the need to restore the funds for future disaster, and also that a goodly proportion of the collections are needed right in town for Home Service calls and the Swimming Program.

25 MILLION EASTER SEALS GOING INTO MAINE HOMES THIS YEAR

There will be 25,000,000 Easter Seals going into Maine homes during the Easter Seal campaign. It is estimated by Mrs. Marie I. Preston, executive director of the Pine Tree Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Maine's Easter Seal society.

This year's campaign has a new timing and will be conducted March 10 to April, ending nine days after Easter to avoid conflict with other fund-raising campaigns also scheduled at that time.

The 1954 seal is bright blue and red. A white lily, symbol of the Easter Seal Society, and a crippled child make up the highly stylized modern design. It bears the words "Easter Seals Help Crippled Children".

These seals, which have become an Easter tradition, finance direct services to crippled children at the Hyde Memorial Home, Bethel, and at Pine Tree Camp, Rome. There is a great need for additional facilities for adult patients in Maine.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

March 5th is Town Meeting Day, meeting to be called at ten o'clock, then upon order of the Moderator the polls will be open for the election of Town officers. The polls will be closed at 6 o'clock p. m.

The Gould Band will favor us with a short concert at 7:45 o'clock in the evening. At 8 o'clock the regular business meeting of the Town will be continued for the discussion of the articles in the warrant. The evening meeting is arranged to make it possible for more people to attend. New England has always had the history of allowing all people to have a voice in conducting their business. It is hoped that everyone interested will make it their plan to vote some time during the day and to attend the evening meeting.

If for any reason you did not get a Town Report, please let me know, as every effort has been made to reach everyone. We do, however, have some on hand for every Bethel voter who has not received one. Thank you.

O. T. Rozelle

STOWELL - SEAVER ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kirke Stowell of Bryant Pond announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sandra Stowell, to William Herbert Seaver of Cambridge, Mass., son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Seaver of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Miss Stowell was graduated from Gould Academy, attended Bob Jones University at Greenville, S. C., and is now a third-year student at the Massachusetts General Hospital School of Nursing.

A graduate of Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., Mr. Seaver received his Master of Science degree in electrical engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He is now employed as a project engineer at the Ultrasonic Corp., Cambridge, Mass. The wedding will take place on April 14.

Walter Marcuse is spending a few days in Boston.

The Five Town Teachers Club meeting will be held at the Crescent Park School Tuesday, March 6. This meeting was postponed on account of town meeting. Miss Alice Ballard is program chairman.

Francis Berry, Blue Hill, who spent his vacation in Boston, Mass., was a week end guest of relatives here. His daughter, Denise, spent the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gram.



PFC. SHERMAN A. EMERY, of Bethel graduated at Fort Monmouth, N. J., Jan. 28, from the Radar Repair course of The Signal School at Signal Corps Headquarters. Pfc. Emery graduated from Gould Academy in 1944.

BETHEL REPUBLICANS TO HOLD CAUCUS TUESDAY

A caucus of the Republican voters of the Town of Bethel will be held at the Legion Rooms at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday, March 6. The purpose of this caucus are to elect delegates to the State Republican Convention to be held in Portland on April 12-13, to elect a town committee, and to nominate Republicans from Bethel to serve on the Oxford County Republican committee.

In a presidential year the local caucuses are the first step in electing our delegates to the National Convention.

Attendance at local caucuses in recent years has been small. This may have been due in part to the fact that many people thought the caucus was a town committee meeting only for committee members. The caucus is not a town committee meeting. It is a meeting for all Republican voters in Bethel and every Republican voter has a right to come and take part in the discussion and voting.

MUSIC APPRECIATION GROUP

On Saturday evening, Feb. 25, in Gehring Hall, Michael Power, pianist, played for the Bethel Music Appreciation Group. A buffet supper was served by the Music Group to members and their guests preceding the concert.

Mr. Power, who comes from Winchester, Mass., gave a community concert here last fall. This summer he is giving a concert in Scotland followed by study with the famous concert artist, Casadesu, in Paris.

With everyone comfortably settled in the living room of the girls' dormitory the evening passed swiftly in a pleasant air of informality.

Guests and their members included: Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nary, Mrs. Arthur Guernsey, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Richardson, Mrs. Walter Marcuse, Mrs. Kimball Ames, Mr. and Mrs. David Thompson, Mrs. Estelle Goggin, and Mrs. Ann Blackadar. Out of town members and guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, Remford; Mrs. Gould, Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. Moore and guests, Paris Hill.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Arnel Brown is a patient at the CMG Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kelley and Pete spent the week end in Lyndonville, Vt.

Henry Perkins underwent surgery Tuesday morning at City Hospital, Portland.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Boynton have spent the past few days on Monhegan Island.

Mrs. Addie Linehan and daughter, Geraldine, of Lewiston, were guests Wednesday of her brother, E. O. Donahue.

Mrs. James Brown visited her father, Allan Brooks, at the CMG Hospital, Tuesday.

There will be a plastic party at Bear River Grange Hall at 7:30 p. m., Friday, March 2.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKay of Boston.

Mrs. Evans Wilson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Woodcock and daughters in Providence, R. I.

Mrs. Sherwood Gould of Phillips was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Guernsey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilman and family left last week to spend the rest of the winter in Tampa, Fla.

Mrs. Ruby Perkins, Lynn, Mass., spent the past few days with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown and family.

Richard Valentine of Bangor, Pa., is spending some time at the home of the late Charles Valentine.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Turner of Attleboro, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gibbs and family today.

March 18 is the date for the fried clam dinner at the IOOF Hall, sponsored by Sunset Rotabak Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lane and son, Lyman, Keene, N. H., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fossett.

Mrs. Henry Scott of Middletown, N. Y., left Wednesday after spending several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert York.

Mrs. Ruth Garber McKenna of Rumford, formerly of Bethel, underwent surgery on Monday at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Maud Kimball of Albany was a recent dinner guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbitts and an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Merrill.

There will be a meeting of the Brownsie Scout and Intermediate Girl Scout leaders at Mrs. Virginia Keniston's Tuesday, March 6, at 7:30 p. m.

150 ATTEND CUB SCOUT BLUE AND GOLD BANQUET FRIDAY EVE

The Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet was held Friday, Feb. 24, at the Congregational Church dining room. A pot luck supper was served, with about 150 people including parents, Cubs and guests. Bob Cameron, a representative of the Pine Tree Council, was present. Awards were given out to the boys as follows:

Eight Lion Badges—Harold Carver, Gilbert Bailey, Steven Anderson, Trifton Foster, Richard Fraser, Larry Smith, Richard Wright, Duane Gordon.

One Bear Badge—Bruce Taylor. 13 Wolf Badges—Frank Saunders, Jeffrey Howe, Timothy Hutchins, Paul Vachon, Peter York, Billy Boynton, Matthew Brooks, David Brown, Randall Chretien, Daniel Davis, James Davis, Roger Dock, Bernard Rice.

One Webelos—George Eypner, who also graduated into the Boy Scout troop.

One gold, two silver arrow points—Paul Pendleton.

One gold arrow point—Reginald Brown, Maynard Morgan, Gregory Glines.

One silver arrow point—Billy Boynton.

Two year service star—Thomas Chadbourne.

One year service star—Dale Stevens.

LAKE DISTRICT, BOY SCOUTS WINTER CARNIVAL HELD FEB. 25 AT SOUTH PARIS

Fifty-five Scouts and Explorers met at Bryant's Hill, South Paris, for a 12-event winter sports meet, Feb. 25. Bethel, Harrison, South and West Paris, Norway and Fryeburg were represented and 36 place winners took home ribbons for the 12 events. Units present received participation streamers for their troop flags.

Results follow (first five finishers in each event):

| Scouts | Troop | Time |
|-----------------|-------|--------|
| Angeline, D. | 163 | 27.1 |
| Kenerson | 64 | 28.1 |
| Solari | 54 | 28.1 |
| Saunders | 163 | 28.5 |
| Lincoln | 163 | 28.6 |
| Cross-Country: | Troop | Time |
| Kenerson | 64 | 3:45 |
| Angeline, D. | 163 | 3:45.5 |
| Lincoln | 163 | 3:46 |
| Perry | 163 | 3:50 |
| Watson | 197 | 4:15 |
| Down-Hill: | Troop | Time |
| Angeline, D. | 163 | 19.7 |
| Watson | 197 | 19.9 |
| Kenerson | 64 | 20.0 |
| Solari | 54 | 20.7 |
| Saunders | 163 | 21.0 |
| 75 yd. Ski Dash | Troop | Time |
| Rice | 163 | 19.9 |
| Kenerson | 64 | |
| Lincoln | 163 | |

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The WSCS evening circle has postponed their meeting from tonight to Thursday evening, March 2, to meet at the home of Mrs. Wallace Saunders.

Mrs. Clayton Bane and daughter, Barbara, have returned home after spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kuyk and son, Peter, in Belmont, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wilson, Kenyon, have returned home after spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kuyk and son, Peter, in Belmont, Mass.

Richard Bryant and Mrs. Gary York, left Tuesday on a week-long vacation trip to Greenville, S. C., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Keith Wilson at Donaldson A. P. B.

Anna Fortier of West Palm Beach is comfortable at his home after returning home Tuesday from the Maine General Hospital where he had been a patient following a heart attack.

A family dinner party was held on Sunday, Feb. 26, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wheeler, celebrating the second birthday of Danielle Wheeler, also birthday of Leonard Kimball and George Burris. Those present were Mrs. Marie Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wheeler, Wendy and Danielle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gorman, Leonard Kimball and George Burris.

The Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital are planning a series of card parties to be held at the homes of various members during the week of March 4. This is an annual project for the purpose of raising funds to purchase prizes for the Bethel Booth at the Rumford Hospital Fair. Those for parties will be: Mrs. Vance Richardson, Mrs. Stanley Davis, Mrs. Larry Davis, Mrs. Howard Cole, Mrs. Richard Waldron, Mrs. Leland Brown and Mrs. Albert Buck.

Mrs. Richard Bryant, Mrs. Kimball Ames, Mrs. Robert Tiff, Mrs. Ethel Follen and Mrs. Earlon Paine.

GEORGE L. SMITH

George L. Smith died Saturday morning, Feb. 25, at the Houle convalescent home, East Bethel, where he had been a patient several weeks.

Mr. Smith was born in Bethel, Sept. 3, 1864, the son of Osmar and Frances Stearns Smith. He married Miss Lydia Swan of Bethel, who died in 1953.

As a young man he worked on the Grand Trunk railroad, becoming a passenger conductor. Leaving the railroad some 55 years ago, he lived in several places including Bethel and Fayette, and for some time before returning to Bethel a few years ago had lived at Norway.

Survivors include four sons: Chester E. of Leominster, Mass., Philip N. of Florida, Leslie H. of Albuquerque, N. M., and Francis L. of North Monmouth; several grandchildren and great grandchildren.

The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Greenleaf funeral home. Rev. Dwight McMahon officiated. Burial at Riverside cemetery.

69 ATTEND LIONS MEETING HERE MONDAY - BETHEL TOWN AFFAIRS DISCUSSED

The largest attended meeting of the Bethel Lions Club was held Monday evening at the Legion Rooms with the Bethel Chamber of Commerce as guests. Others in attendance were Miss Nellie Macdougall of the Gould faculty and three of her elvies pupils, Evelyn Winslow, Albert Sumner, and Leroy Brown; Donald Kilgors and George Bell representing the Central Maine Power Co.; 14 Lions from the Mechanic Falls Lion Club and 46 Bethel Lions and Chamber of Commerce members, making a total of 69 in attendance.

Howard Aldrich, president of the Mechanic Falls Lions Club, was presented the District 411 traveling trophy which had been in the possession of the Bethel Club. The Bethel Lions will meet on Tuesday, March 6, at the Legion Rooms at 5:45 to travel to Mechanic Falls to return the trophy. Lions Doe Brown, Gene Van, Stan Davis, and Peanut Gallant will provide transportation.

The Chamber of Commerce were invited to join the Bethel Lions Club for their meeting on April 23 when Lion Carl Broggi, Maine Director of Industrial Development, will be the speaker.

A certificate of merit was presented the Bethel Club President by Dist. Dep. Gov. Sam Smith. This was an award received from Lions International for surpassing the quota of new members during Founder's Month in January.

Lion O. T. Rozelle, Bethel Town Manager and the speaker for the evening, was introduced by Chamber of Commerce President Howard Cole. He discussed the matter of town affairs past, present, and future and brought out several important points that will be brought up at the annual town meeting next Monday. George Bell discussed the advantages of the mercury vapor street lights over the old incandescent type.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held after the program it was voted to contribute to the Heart Drive and plans were made for the Dist. Governor's and Ladies' Night March 20. One new member, Norman Mills of Bryant Pond was admitted.

The next meeting of the Bethel Lions Club will be held on Monday, March 12, with Lions Joe Miller and Blake MacKay in charge of the program. A father-son night is planned.

Gertrude Waldron celebrated her ninth birthday at a party at her home on Mason Street, Saturday. Games were enjoyed with prizes won by Vicky Robertson, Ethel Kimball, and Margaret Mundt. Refreshments were served. Those present were Louann Brown, Ethel Kimball, Terry Parsons, Margaret Mundt, Dorothy Verrill, Vicky and Jean Robertson, Elizabeth, Dickie and Gertrude Waldron.

The Men's Brotherhood observed Ladies' Night on Tuesday evening. An oyster stew supper was served by the committee, Bob York, Jim Brown and Perry Lapham. Following the supper a movie "The Bell Telephone Hour" was shown.

Eugene Van gave a very interesting talk with discussion about the telephone. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders, Mrs. Addie Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Paine, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lapham, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Blake, Rev. and Mrs. Dwight McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Van, Jerry Freeman, James Brown, Bob York.

BETHEL TO HOLD ITS ANNUAL MEETING NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

Bethel will hold its annual town meeting in the evening this year for the second time, preceded during the day by election of officers. It is the hope of all interested citizens that both events are given the attention they deserve.

Although no contests are listed on the printed ballot, it is quite possible for other persons to be elected by names written in, so those desiring a change or support of announced candidates will do well to express their choice during the election period. Read the specimen ballot on page 8.

The business of the evening is of utmost importance. The recommendations of the Budget Committee (see page 2) are the result of three long evening sessions of the 12-man group. Their suggestions for use of the town's surplus follow the practice of previous years, while their conclusions as to expenses to be met by taxes this year seemed as low as consistent with the public's needs. The results of the re-evaluation company's figures will have some effect on the tax rate.

An article which may draw attention is 53, concerning the adoption of Town Ordinances (see page 4). While many of these seem reasonable enough, and are no doubt in line with those adopted by similar towns, there seem to be varied opinions on adoption exactly as presented. Some feel that any by-laws adopted should at least be considered enforceable at the time they are accepted, and remember too well the generally disregarded rules of the bygone Village Corporation.

MRS. MACKEY HONORED AT SHOWER

Mrs. Rachel MacKay was tendered a stork shower, Monday evening, in the Eastern Star dining room. The affair was planned by Mrs. Barbara Bryant, Mrs. Dorothy York, Mrs. Florine Paul, Mrs. Rebecca Heino and Mrs. Rebecca Kendall. The dining room was decorated in pink and blue. Three decorated cakes made by Mrs. Kaye Baines, Mrs. Alberta Merrill and Mrs. Caroline Merrill were on the shower table, with a centerpiece of pink and blue carnations.

Attending were: Mrs. Arlene Tyler, Mrs. Beatrice Lowell, Mrs. Mary Paine, Mrs. Virginia Walker, Mrs. Elsie Poore, Mrs. Constance Wing, Mrs. Norma Jodrey, Mrs. Barbara Merrill, Mrs. Arlene Lyon, Mrs. Pauline Browne, Mrs. Louise Anna, Mrs. Marguerite Kendall, Mrs. Pauline Davis, Mrs. Josephine Kendall, Mrs. Alberta Merrill, Mrs. Ethel Robertson, Mrs. Ruth Wilson, Mrs. Thirza Gibson, Mrs. Caroline Merrill, Mrs. Margaret Davis, Mrs. Annie Hastings.

Mrs. Barbara Brown, Mrs. Barbara Greenleaf, Mrs. Norma Buck, Mrs. JoAnne Kendall, Mrs. Stephanie Thurston, Mrs. Abbie Brown, Miss Arlene Brown, Miss Mary Whittey, Mrs. Betty Mills, Mrs. Virginia Hutchins, Mrs. Arlene Rozelle, Mrs. Fern Jordan, Nancy and Linda Brown, Mrs. Ada Durell, Mrs. Mary Keeskie, Mrs. Sadye Robertson, Mrs. Agnes Thurston, Mrs. Alice Kimball, Mrs. Lois Tenney.

Mrs. Beatrice Brown, Miss Lella Swan, Mrs. Esther Brown, Mrs. Betty Gilbert, Mrs. Helen Hiller, Mrs. Alice Gallant, Mrs. Virginia Keniston, Mrs. Elizabeth Lord, Mrs. Barbara Douglas, Mrs. Gertrude Boyer, Mrs. Gladys Greiner, Mrs. Margaret Soule, Mrs. Ruth Cummings, Mrs. Maude Hunt, Mrs. Madeline Hunt, Mrs. Ruth Dorlan, Mrs. Kaye Ennes, Mrs. Neva Conlidge, Mrs. Betty Anderson, Mrs. Polly Chapin, Mrs. Marie Brown.

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NOTICE

We the undersigned wish to notify that our rate of labor will be increased from \$1.00 per hour to \$1.50 per hour on repairing of cars and trucks, March 2nd.

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The Week in Oxford County

Sandra Venskus, a junior at Mexico High School, was crowned carnival queen at the schools first winter carnival. The ceremonies took place at the school gymnasium, Saturday evening.

Dr. Raymond Houghton, member of the Paris school committee, in a statement made recently favors the closing of the "Hollow School."

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Buck of Buckfield observed their 40th wedding anniversary Sunday with open house. They were married at Paris Feb. 23, 1911. The couple have always lived in Buckfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Peterson moved to Augusta this week. Mr. Peterson was transferred to this district by the Central Maine Power Co. He has been superintendent of the Norway district for several years.

A meeting sponsored by the trustees of the Central Oxford County Hospital Association was held at the Norway Universalist Church, Monday evening. Women from a wide area were guests to gain information of the progress on the Stephens Memorial Hospital and to reorganize the auxiliary. It was reported that the foundation for the new 34-bed ward is completed. Work is now in progress on the Foster building.

Dixfield's town warrant, recently posted, carries 77 articles. The re-evaluation of the town and means of having a gymnasium will be the big questions.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Palmer on Weld road, Dixfield, was damaged badly by fire Wednesday evening. The cause was of undetermined origin. It was reported to have been insured.

Economic Highlights

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare.

What do representative Americans think about doctors — both their own doctors and doctors in general?

We have all heard many varied answers to that question—answers based on individual predilections, attitudes and experiences. The American Medical Association wanted an answer too, along with various other information, and it took the scientific approach by sponsoring a nationwide survey by an independent opinion and market research firm. This firm conducted personal interviews with 4,000 people during 1955, selecting its interviews so that the proportion from various age, economic, geographical and other groups matched the proportion in the total U. S. population. The results have now been made public, and here are some of the high spots.

First of all, 43 per cent of the people have a regular family doctor—the figure is 59 per cent in the case of rural dwellers. Practically all of them like and respect him. When changes are made, it is generally because they or the doctor move, or the latter goes out of practice. Only a very small percentage change because of loss of confidence or kindred reasons. A majority thinks it is extremely important to choose one's doctor carefully, while a substantial minority thinks this doesn't matter in that most doctors have the same education and qualifications.

In answering questions as to their own doctors, 87 per cent said that he is as dedicated to serving mankind as he should be, with 6 per cent on the other side. Seventy-nine percent denied that he charges too much while 16 per cent thought that he does. Two-thirds denied that he makes too much money compared with his patients; 13 per cent said he does. The complaint that he is too quick to recommend operations was denied by 82 per cent, with only 5 per cent agreeing.

The survey always found that people think more highly of their own family doctors than of doctors in general—this, it seems, is not a case where distant fields look greener. Some 80 per cent said that their doctor is different from most others—only one in seven said he is not. Qualities cited for their man include sympathy, kindness, competence, frankness, honesty, personal interest, etc.

This attitude was carried out in the answers to a series of positively worded true-false questions. For example, 80 per cent said "my doctor" frank enough in talking to patients about illnesses, while only 12 per cent said that of doctors in general. And where 81 per cent said "my doctor" gave patients as much time as they wanted, this was held to be true of only 30 per cent of all doctors. The survey draws this conclusion: "People's attitudes toward their own doctors are based upon their own personal experiences, while their attitudes toward doctors in general must necessarily be based upon

FIVE MAINE NURSES TO STUDY CANCER NURSING AT NEW YORK CENTER

Five state of Maine registered nurses will leave on Saturday, Feb. 26, for a special six-week course of cancer nursing at Memorial Center for Cancer and Allied Diseases in New York City in a

secondary information and hearing.

All in all, this survey certainly indicates that the American people have a higher regard for the medical profession than some would have us believe. It is also significant that the findings about the total public also apply to sub-groups—men and women, young and old, white and blue collar, and so on. The percentage differences in opinion between union and non-union people were "almost indistinguishable."

special nursing education project sponsored by the Maine Cancer Society, it was announced today.

The five nurses will leave from Portland Airport at 12:45 p. m. The fellowships of the Maine Cancer Society provide their transportation, room, board and tuition for their six weeks' advanced study:

Fellowship winners are: Miss Freda M. Britton, Presque Isle, head nurse at the Presque Isle General Hospital; Mrs. Virgil Morse, Jr., Waldoboro, superintendent of Miles Memorial Hospital at Damariscotta; Miss Lorraine Plante, 40 West Street, Portland, assistant head nurse in the male surgical division at the Maine Medical Center; Miss Rita L. Qualey, 46 Whitney Ave., Portland, head nurse at Mercy Hospital for the past six years; Miss Irene D. Shannon, 731 Essex St., Bangor, clinical supervisor and instructor at Eastern Maine General

GRASS ROOTS OPINION

Bedford, Va., Bulletin: "We believe in price supports because it is the only system yet devised which gives agriculture something at least akin to an even break, but we do not like the way the system has been administered and abused."

Carlsbad, N. M., Current-Argus: "The proposed bill to free natural gas producers from federal control has played hob with party lines in Congress.... The real issue is not whether natural gas

rates may be raised or lowered; that is a side effect. The real issue is whether the federal government should be granted the power to go to a gas well and tell the producer what price he can get for his product as it flows into the line and heads for a city. It seems to us this is an unwarranted grant of power to the federal government...."

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WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

To Loton F. Hutchinson, Constable of the Town of Bethel in the County of Oxford and State of Maine.

Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bethel in said county and state, qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet at Odeon Hall in said town on Monday, the fifth day of March, A. D. 1956, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, to wit:

The polls will be open for balloting on elective officers upon order of the Moderator and will be closed at six o'clock in the afternoon.

Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose by ballot the following Town officers for the ensuing year, to wit: Town Clerk, Five Selectmen, Five Assessors, one member of the School Committee for three years.

Art. 3. To hear and act upon the report of selectmen, assessors, Town Manager, superintendent of schools, clerk and other town officers.

Art. 4. To see what compensation the town will vote to pay the (a) Selectmen, (b) Assessors, (c) Clerk, (d) Health Officer.

Art. 5. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of defraying the expenses of Town Officers.

Art. 6. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year, not to be elected by Australian Ballot.

Art. 7. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school maintenance.

Art. 8. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for school repairs and equipment.

Art. 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$125.00 for public health nursing in Bethel, said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health, for local service.

Art. 10. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be expended on the town ways and highways and for the repair of bridges.

Art. 11. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance of winter roads, including ditches and culverts.

Art. 12. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State Aid road construction (in addition to the amounts heretofore raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 25 and 27, Chap. 129, R. S. 1944, as amended.

Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to borrow the sum of Thirty-six hundred twenty-eight dollars and eighty cents, to be expended on State Aid construction in anticipation of the 1957 Town appropriation of Seventy hundred twenty-eight dollars and eighty cents.

Art. 14. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of town ways and streets.

Art. 15. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of town ways and streets.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to employ a night watchman.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to have a water hydrant installed on or near Burgess Road.

Art. 18. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the water hydrants.

Art. 19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of Public and Cemetery.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for a recreation.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the reconstruction of—

Art. 22. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be paid to the Chamber of Commerce to be used for advertising and publicity.

Art. 23. To see whether or not the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred seventy-five dollars (\$175.00) to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 80, Section 95, of the Revised Statutes of Maine.

Art. 24. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance and construction of sewers.

Art. 25. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for all for Dependent Children.

Art. 26. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for relief of the poor.

Art. 27. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs on Town Farm Buildings or act on anything else relating thereto.

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Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to make necessary arrangements to acquire land for a parking lot.

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Art. 32. To see what sum the town will vote to raise

and appropriate to procure from the Bethel Library Association the free use of books during the coming year for all inhabitants of the town under such restrictions and regulations as shall insure the safety and good use of the books.

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Art. 41. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate to purchase Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance on all of the motor driven vehicles owned by the town.

Art. 42. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate to purchase Fire Insurance on all town owned property.

Art. 43. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Workmen's Compensation and Group Insurance.

Art. 44. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay interest on notes and temporary loans.

Art. 45. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to pay Serial Note No. 6 on the Crescent Park School Building.

Art. 46. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay on the (a) snow removal equipment notes; (b) new Mack Pumper.

Art. 47. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay the town's share for the benefits extended under Social Security Act for the employees of the town.

Art. 48. To see what action the town will take to secure a vault or safe for the safekeeping of the overcrowded records of the Town Clerk's Office.

Art. 49. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen or other authorized officers to procure a temporary loan or loans in anticipation of taxes for the purpose of paying obligations of the town; such loans or loan to be paid during the current municipal year out of money raised during and current municipal year by taxes.

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Art. 51. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to sell and convey real estate owned by the town under tax deeds or under tax liens to such persons for such prices and upon such terms as said Selectmen and Treasurer in their judgment and discretion may determine for the best interests of the town and to execute in behalf of the inhabitants of said town such deeds or other instruments of conveyance as may be required to complete such sales and conveyances.

Art. 52. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of 12 to be known as the Budget Committee.

Art. 53. To see if the town will vote to adopt, amend, or reject any or all of the Town Ordinances as submitted by the Committee on Ordinances.

Art. 54. To choose any committee, hear the report of any committee and act thereon.

Art. 55. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen and Treasurer to transfer the "Fireman's Relief & Indemnity Fund," Pass Book No. 2254 in the Bethel Savings Bank to the general fund or act on anything else relating thereto.

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Art. 57. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the insect control in the compact area.

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The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session in the Town Manager's Office from noon, Wednesday, February 29, to noon, Saturday, March 3, 1956, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters, and from 10 o'clock in the forenoon until time for the polls to close Monday, March 5, 1956.

Given under our hands this 14th day of February, A. D. 1956.

CARROLL E. ABBOTT
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JOHN H. CARTER
RICHARD CARTER
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Selectmen of Bethel

A true copy, Attest, Loton F. Hutchinson, Constable

Town of Bethel Budget Committee Recommendations

FOR THE ANNUAL MEETING MARCH 5, 1956

BUSINESS MEETING TO BE CALLED AT 8:00 P. M.

Article

4. Pay of Selectmen, including Assessors, \$100.00 each; Clerk, \$100.00; Health Officer, \$35.00.

5. Salaries of all town officers including Secretary for Town Manager Reappropriate balance of \$1,000.00

7. School Maintenance Reappropriate balance, \$1,750.00

8. School Repairs and Equipment 75,000.00

9. Public Health Nurse 1,000.00

10. Roads and Bridges 8,000.00

11. Winter Roads, including snow removal from ditches and culverts 12,000.00

12. State Aid Road Construction (New A. Year 175.00)

13. Reappropriation of State Aid to State 8,000.00

14. State Aid Highway Construction Balance, 4,000.00

15. The cost of all town road repairs to night workmen Yes

16. Purchase of night watchman Reappropriate 2,000.00

17. General and Special Aids to install a water hydrant on Burgess Road Yes

18. Water Hydrants 1,000.00

19. Parks and Recreation 250.00

20. Recreation A. A. Park From Rumford 11,000.00

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BRYANT POND

— Mrs. Edith G. Abbott, Corres. —

The Fellowship Club met at the Town Hall Wednesday night, following a pot luck supper served to about 65 people by Mrs. Elsie Cole, Mrs. Miriam McAllister, Mrs. Ruth Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Twitchel. Twelve guests from the South Paris Universalist Church were present. At the business meeting the following committees were appointed for a public beano, to assist General Chairman Everett Howe: on prizes, Mrs. Myrtle Hayden, Mrs. Ruth Tyler and Stanley Andrews. For refreshments, Mrs. Rena Howe, Mrs. Gertrude Anderson and Harold Tyler. Otis Dudley and Harold Tyler were chosen Captains for the Whist Parties in March. Committees for the next Fellowship Meeting, March 28, are: for supper, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Ring, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Howe and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Farnum; for entertainment, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Parker Allen. Pictures of Newfoundland, the Caspe Peninsula and Jasper Park were shown after the meeting.

The stated meeting of Jefferson Chapter, OES, was held Friday night with 37 members present. It was voted to accept the invitation to Norway, March 13, for their Fun Night and to furnish a number on the program. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Kathleen McAllister, Mrs. Virginia Mills, Mrs. Juanita Allen and Mrs. Arlene MacKillop. The annual meeting will be held March 23, with a tasting party after the meeting, with each member bringing something.

Mrs. James Billings was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ellsworth MacDonald and family at Yarmouth Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Harold Dunlap visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Moody at Portland several days last week, returned home on Sunday.

Miss Susan Hathaway spent the week end with Miss Louise Whitman at her home, South Rumford.

Mrs. Elsie Cole was the guest of her brother, Robert Cushman and family, Auburn, from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Andrews, with daughters, Elnor and Bethany, accompanied by Miss Christine Berry were at Boston for the week end and attended the Ice Follies.

Miss Cynthia Farnum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Farnum, celebrated her sixth birthday, on Feb. 23, with a party at her home. Games were played and refreshments included two birthday cakes, were served. Many nice gifts were received. Those present were Paula Howe, Peggy Wing, Clayton York, Karen Berryment, Philip and Tommy House, Bethany Andrews, Stephen Buck, Andrea Swan, Jimmy Johnson, Cynthia and Carol Ann Farnum, Mrs. Bessie House, Mrs. Margaret Berryment, Mrs. Evelyn

Johnson and Mrs. Evelyn Farnum. A gift was sent by Cathy Emmons.

The Woodstock Alumni Association are sponsoring a banquet Friday night at the Town Hall at 6 o'clock, for the High School Basketball Teams, cheer leaders and coaches. A speaker from Bethel will be present. A square dance will follow.

Stanley Whitman, South Rumford, was the guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Russ, several days this week.

Judith Grover Tent No. 17 met at the home of Besale Andrews for their regular meeting Monday evening with 10 members present. It was voted to give \$2 to the Heart Fund. Mrs. Hattie Brown reported about the same. There were 29 calls made by the members. The special committee served refreshments after the meeting. Edith Hathaway and Harriett Hathaway were appointed on the refreshment committee for the month of March. There were ten sisters that attended the patriotic get-together at Norway last week and all reported a lovely supper and program. Verna Swan received the mystery package. It was voted to have the patriotic reporter try to find out about a band for Memorial Day. The Patriotic Instructor had a program on Washington as follows: A quiz on Washington's life, by Edith Hathaway; A biography of Washington's life by Alice Wardwell; A game to see who could get 25 words first from George Washington. Edith Hathaway and Verna Swan won the prize.

The Grange are serving their usual town meeting dinner at the Grange Hall, Monday noon, Mar. 5.

ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

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SOUTH WOODSTOCK

— Olive F. Davis, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Andrews and children went to Boston Saturday. They will take in the Ice Follies then Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews will travel to Florida by train for a vacation, while Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Andrews return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis went to Portland Friday. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Cummings and Mrs. Helen Marcey. Mrs. Marcey was in the hospital when Mrs. Davis was there and shared the room with her.

A surprise stork shower was given to Carolyn Dean Sweetser at the home of Jessie Andrews last Thursday evening. Those in attendance were Elaine Cushman, Mrs. Louie Sweetser of Bryant Pond, Eleanor Koskela, Wilma Hendrickson, Mrs. Ralph Verrill, Catherine Verrill, Mrs. Gladys Yates, Elsie McLaughlin and baby Charlotte. Florence Poland, Mina Baker, Mrs. Elaine Pierce, Esther Davis and

Lorraine, Lila Dean, Zella Silver, Carolyn Sweetser, and the hostess, Jessie Andrews. Refreshments of punch, cookies, crax and brownies, were served. A cake in the shape of a bootie made by Cynthia Lamb was presented to the guest of honor.

The Union School opened Monday after a 10-day vacation.

Mrs. Laura Helkkinen, Mrs. Percy Jefferson and Mrs. Mabel Leino spent the day with Mrs. Cleona Averill at East Peru, Wednesday.

Mrs. Martha Helkkinen and Laura Helkkinen took dinner with Mrs. Helkkinen's niece, Mrs. Alma M. Dixon, Thursday, at Norway.

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CHURCH NEWS

BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Dwight H. McMahon, Pastor
Mrs. Maudie Wilson, Sunday School Superintendent

Mrs. Stella L. Hilditch Organist
Saturday, March 4, Food Sale by Methodist Youth Fellowship in the dining room of the Methodist Church, beginning at 2 p. m.

Sunday, March 5 (Third Sunday in Lent):
9:30 a. m. Sunday School for all classes

10:30 a. m. Church Worship, Sermon: "Jesus As Leader of the Church"

7:00 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship meets at home of Gerry and Polly King

Thursday, March 2: The Sunday School workers monthly meeting will be held at 2:30 p. m. at home of Mrs. Pauline Chapin

Junior Choir Rehearsal at 6:30 p. m.

Senior Choir Rehearsal at 6:30 p. m.

At 7:30 p. m. Evening Circle of the WFFF will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Wallace Gaudette

WEST PARISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Charles L. Pendleton, Minister
Mrs. John Roberts, Choir Director
Miss Haines Christie, Organist

Sunday, March 5
9:30 a. m. Church School
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship. This morning's Lenten meditation is called, "Father of Light"

8:30 p. m. Lenten Study Group. All friends of the church are welcome to attend this informal discussion.

CATHOLIC SERVICES
There will be Catholic Mass at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at the rectory formerly occupied by Brooks' Station-Wide Store, Main Street. For more information call Mrs. Ralph Columbus, Terrace 6-2408.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
Authorized Christian Science Literature and textbooks may be found in the Public Library.

Devotional services: "And such trust have we through Christ to Godward. Not that we are sufficient of ourselves to think any thing as of ourselves; but our sufficiency is of God" (II Corinthians 3:5).

LOCKE MILLS COMMUNITY CHURCH
Charles L. Pendleton, Minister
Mrs. Richard Melville, Choir Director

Raymond Swan, Sunday School Superintendent
Services for Sunday March 5
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship. This morning's Lenten meditation is called, "Father of Light"

10:45 a. m. Sunday School
8:30 p. m. Lenten study group at West Parish Church

BRYANT POND UNIVERSALIST CHURCH
Sunday Worship Service at 9:30 a. m. The Rev. Dr. H. H. Bangor, guest speaker. Mr. Smith comes as a candidate.

Church School at 10:45, Mrs. Rena Haves, Supt.

BRYANT POND BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. C. E. Lindahl, Pastor
1954-1955 One Hundred Years of Service

Sunday, March 5
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Morning Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.

Rev. Eugene Crum, District Secretary of Western Maine, will speak

Young People's Society, 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Louise Farnum, leader; also Moody Bible Film, Of Books and Shells

Thursday, March 2 Special Church Rehearsal, 8:30 p. m.

Wednesday, March 1, 8:00 p. m. Bible Study and Prayer Service, 7:30 p. m.

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SCHOOL NEWS

Grade 4—Mrs. Hastings
Mary Gibson went to Florida to Feb. 19, 1956. In school we are studying about the New England States. We had a contest of trying to eat a good breakfast—Diane Gordon, Stephen Anderson.

Grade 5—Mrs. Lord
Eleven of our class received their swimming certificates, Tuesday. We had a card from Peter Davis called from Virginia. We know he is having a grand time—Diane Bennett will be in charge of the Bulletin Board for our Mexico display. We are sorry Rena is not at school.

Grade 6—Mrs. Varner
All Canadian Notebooks must be turned in on Tuesday. We have just finished one of our 100% Notebook charts and have received a new award. We are now starting a new chart. We sent for Mother premiums, a regulation also basketball, printing letters, and a gift for a friend who helped us save box tops. If you have any boxes or Mayo's box tops we would appreciate having them.

Some of us may send to the Children's Flower Mission for seeds to plant in our own gardens. "Lolo" Summer News—ten boys and girls in our room received Swimming Certificates.

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The monthly meeting of the teachers and officers and the worship service Sunday morning at the Baptist Church met at the parsonage Monday evening.

The women of the Finnish Congregational Church conducted the worship service Sunday morning with Mrs. Felix Mayhew in charge. A Fellowship dinner was served at noon.

The Past Noble Grands of Onward Rebekah Lodge were entertained at a 6:30 supper Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Lettie Brooks, with Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Hazel Perham as co-hostess.

Following the regular meeting of the Grange Saturday night a hobo party and entertainment was enjoyed by the public.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perham entertained their grandchildren, David and Diane McDowal of Portland, the past week.

Mrs. Martha Hollis and Mrs. Ruth Dunham were co-hostess at a Liquid Embroidery party at the home of Mrs. Hollis, Friday evening.

Mrs. Sara Doughty and Roy Perham Jr. are patients at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston.

Stanley Doughty, Lisbon Falls, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Doughty.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Nangle and son, Tommy, returned Monday from Rochester, N. H., where they were visiting his mother, Mrs. Ann Nangle for several days.

Miss Edwina Andrews, daughter of Mrs. Lucille Hooper, has completed her nursing assistant's training course at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, and received her certificate last week. She is now employed at the CMG Hospital.

Harry F. Inman visited his brother-in-law, Eugene Andrews of Norway on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonney entertained Marie and Loren Swan, of Bryant Pond, several days last week.

David Ring of Casco spent his vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Yates.

Mrs. Philip Wilbur of Florida returned Thursday by plane being called here by the illness of her mother.

SONGO POND

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FRIDAY-SATURDAY, MARCH 2-3
Oven Ready Frying Chickens 1b 48c
Well Trimmed Smoked Shoulders 1b 35c
Fresh Ground Hamburg 35c lb—3 lbs \$1.00
Home Made Sausage 1b 59c

Cal Lettuce 1g. head 17c
Carrots 2 cello. pkgs. 21c
Waxed Turnips 1b 6c
Sunkist Oranges or Lemons doz. 49c

— FROZEN FOODS —
Beef Pies 8 oz. 5 for 99c
Turkey Pies 8 oz. 5 for 99c
Chicken Pies 8 oz. 5 for 99c
Peas 10 oz. 5 for 99c
Strawberries 10 oz. 4 for 99c
Orange Juice 6 oz. 6 for 99c

11 OTHER FROZEN FOOD SPECIALS
Open Friday Night Till 8:00—Closed Sat. Night

Great Falls, Mont., Leader: "Those who invented the absurd assertion... a few years ago that 'the national debt doesn't matter because we owe it to ourselves' should ponder these figures, says the Los Angeles Times. They mean that every man, woman and child in the United States paid out \$42.18 just for the carrying charge on the debt, which does not reduce the debt itself. And interest rates are rising so that per capita interest charges in the future will be more."

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BOB'S SPORT SHOP

Proposed Ordinances of the Town of Bethel

TOWN OF BETHEL BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I. FIRE DEPARTMENT

Sec. I. The officers of the Fire Department shall be three Engineers and Captain, and the said Engineers and Captain shall be nominated by the Fire Department at its first meeting following the annual Town Meeting. Such nominations shall be subject to the approval of the Selectmen. All other necessary officers may be elected by the Fire Department.

Sec. II. The Town Manager shall be held responsible for all equipment and personnel connected with the Fire Department.

Sec. III. The Fire Chief, 2nd and 3rd Engineers shall be Fire Wardens, the chairman of whom shall be the Fire Chief, the second warden shall be the 1st assistant Fire Chief. At all fires the Fire Chief shall have full and entire control and command over all persons attached to the Fire Department. He shall administer and enforce the fire laws and regulations. In his absence the next officer in line of seniority shall act as Fire Chief.

Sec. IV. At all times it shall be the responsibility of the Fire Chief to see that all equipment is kept clean and in mechanically good condition. It shall be the duty of each driver or

CLASSIFIED AD SECTION

FOR SALE

FOR SALE - 1 child's large crib, spring, mattress and drop side, 1 baby's walker and stroller, 2 oil drums. PHONE 10 ring 4.

FOR SALE - 2-22 CAMP at Gorge Pond. Lot 100x100. ALCHIDE LIZZIE, 497 Western Ave., Berlin, N. H. Tel. 1558W.

EXTRA GASOLINE MILEAGE from your car or truck with a proven and guaranteed Vacu-matic. JOHN S. GREENLEAF.

MODERN GLENWOOD Wood Parlor Stove, \$15. Easy Mangle (electric ironer), \$30. Both in A-1 condition. CARL LARSON, Mason St. Tel. 101-4.

LIVE BAIT. BOB LOWE'S STORE.

FOR SALE - Heavy Duty Vinyl covered storage hassocks built to accommodate tank - type vacuum cleaner. \$10.50 each. STANLEY DAVIS, Bethel, Maine.

Kelvinator Refrigerator, Interior 16-18-22 inches. Ice cube box. All in A1 condition. \$46. D. H. MASON.

STRUNK and MALL CHAIN SAWS. Sales and Service. Several models on hand for immediate delivery. CLAYTON CROCKETT, Crockett's Garage, Bethel, Maine. Tel. 101-2.

MASON SHOES for Dress or Work - for Men and Women. JOHN S. GREENLEAF, Bethel.

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WANTED - Housework by hour or laundry work at home. Work picked up and delivered. MRS. RICHARD LEIGHTON, R. 2, Bethel.

WANTED - One pr. good used skis and bindings, approx. 6-3". Also ski poles. PHONE 216.

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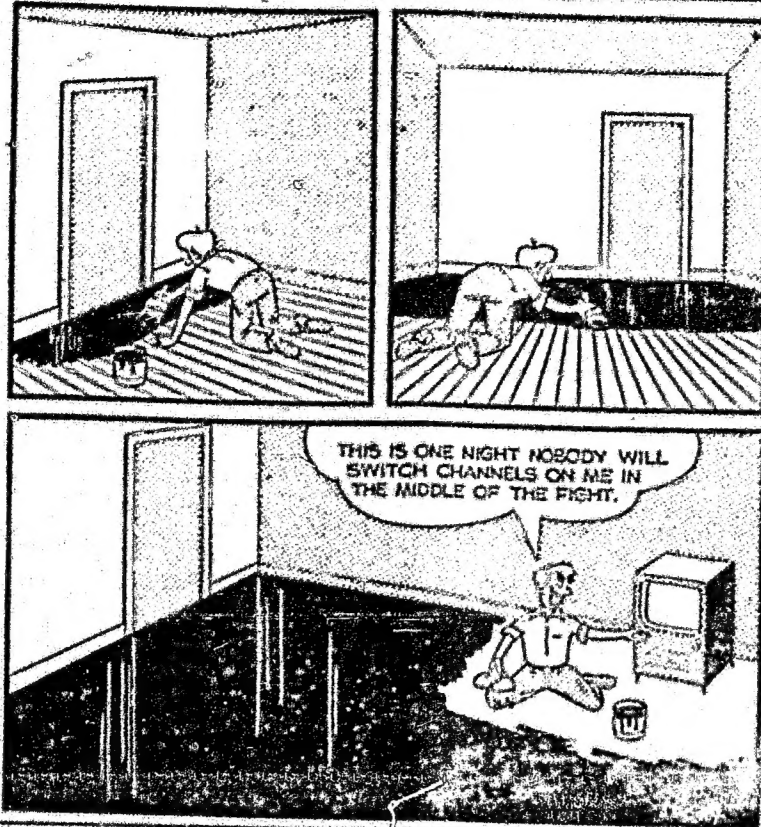
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ages by newspapers, radio, television, film, periodicals or other means. Violations would be punishable by fines up to \$1,000 and imprisonment up to one year, or both. Senator Appalled

Senator Warren G. Magnuson (D) of Washington, chairman of the Senate Commerce Committee, sent policemen for extra chairs after scores of persons, mostly women, filled all standing room at the hearing.

Senator Langer said that as a member of the Senate group investigating juvenile delinquency, he was appalled to discover so many teen-agers were "becoming criminals, members of criminal gangs, and inmates of our jails."

"We found teen-agers being led from beer parties into dope addiction," the senator said, adding that parents "can meet this problem when every evening over radio and television come these urgings to drink glass after glass after glass."

He said his bill "would prevent the highly colored and attractive advertising scenes... teaching mother that the most important thing about a home is to put beer into it... would stop... these ads... from getting into the minds of the children before mother can turn the TV off."

While Governor and Attorney General of North Dakota, Senator Langer said he learned that 95 per cent of the persons in jails in the state blamed it on liquor. Since coming to Congress and visiting all federal prisons and penal institutions, Senator Langer said, he has discovered the same thing is true of inmates of those institutions.

Canadian Example Cited Mrs. Augusta K. Christie, of Presque Isle, Maine, said Canada has successfully prohibited liquor advertising and after a trip across it to Alaska, she "was ashamed of our country."

In Alaska, she said, cards were tossed into her car "inviting us to visit the Red Dog Saloon." Mrs. Christie is a member of the Maine Legislature which by a 90-7 vote asked Congress to outlaw alcoholic beverage advertising. She also is president of the Maine Women's Christian Temperance

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Blue Ribbon Wax Paper 2 rolls 37c
Schoolday Peanut Butter 26 oz. 45c
Chicken and Beef Frozen Pies 2 for 45c
Rainbow Trout (Frozen) 2 for 67c
Fresh Ground Hamburg 35c lb—3 for \$1.00
Home Made Sausage 1b 59c
Cube Steak 1b 69c
Chicken Legs and Breasts 1b 55c

OPEN FRIDAY NIGHTS

SHAW'S MARKET

"We are as near as your phone"
FREE DELIVERY
CORNER OF CHURCH & MAIN—Tel. 114

of the week end will be the Carnival Ball in William Bingham Gym on Saturday evening with music furnished by Gordon Howe and his orchestra. Results of the class competition in the winter sports events and snow sculpture will be announced at that time.

Girls' Gym Exhibition

The Girls' Gym Exhibition will be held in Farnsworth Field House on Friday evening at 8:00. Numerous activities including, modern dance, marching, square dancing, and trampoline work will feature

the program.

The entire program is under the direction of Miss Emily B. Tickell, Director of Physical Education for girls. The audience is requested to remain seated at the close of the program to hear the results of the competition from the judges. The physical education department of the Academy wish to take this opportunity of thanking everyone who contributed with their time and effort to make this exhibition a success. There will be no admission for this event and the public is cordially invited to attend.

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NORTH WATERFORD

Josephine Sanderson, Cor.
Miss Darlene Morrill of Bethel, visited several days last week with her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Henry Sanderson.

Mr and Mrs Luther Hatch were guests of honor at a reception Friday evening, held at the Birchouse club room. They received many lovely gifts. Mrs Dorothy Lovejoy and Mrs Erma Hatch served as hostesses.

Mrs Beverly Nutting of Bethel was given a pre-stork shower at the church vestry recently. She was the former Beverly Currier of this town. Mrs Stanley McAllister and Miss Margaret Toile served as hostesses.

Donald Lewis recently injured his hand very seriously at Grover's lumber mill at South Paris. All his friends here wish him a speedy recovery.

Capt. and Mrs John P Cushman of Winthrop, Mass., spent the week end at their cottage on Jewett Pond. While here they entertained Mr and Mrs Henry Sanderson and Bert Allen. The boys all went fishing and reported a good catch of pickarel.

Mr and Mrs Harvey Lord and family of Franklin, Mass., visited his parents, Mr and Mrs Stanton Ray, recently.

Mrs Erwin Jones still remains very ill at a Massachusetts hospital. She will have to remain there several more weeks before being well enough to return home.

Late Eliot is boarding at Mrs Eli Hersey's.

The Waterford carnival was held Saturday at Memorial School. Cynthia Howe was elected Queen and Keith Brown was King. There was large attendance despite the poor weather.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY

Mr. Abram Lodge, No. 51, I. O. O. F. Meets Friday evenings. N. G. Shirley Chase, Rec. Secretary, Rodney Hanscom.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge, No. 64. Meets first and third Monday evenings. N. G. Blanche Berryment, Rec. Secretary, Hilda Donahue.

Purity Chapter, No. 102, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings. W. M. Anne Hastings, Secretary, Helen Runnels.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 126, West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays. Master, Gordon Macdon Secretary, Lottie Hall.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Meets first Tuesdays. President, Howard Cole. Secretary, Henry Hastings.

W. S. C. S. Methodist Church. Meets third Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. President, Sylvia Luxon. Secretary, Barbara Greenleaf.

Elmwood Grange, No. 126, West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Norma Buck. Secretary, Madeline Gibbs.

Lodge Club, Congregational Church. Meets first and third Thursday afternoons. President, Dr. Charles E. Merrill. Secretary, Dr. H. B. Tibbels.

The Guild, Congregational Church. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Dr. Charles E. Merrill. Secretary, Mrs. George Hutchinson.

Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings. W. M. Anna Brooks, Secretary, Ernest Mundt.

Bethel Lions Club. Meets second and fourth Mondays. President, Dr. Charles E. Merrill. Secretary, James J. Davis.

Music Appreciation Group. Meets first and third Thursday at 8 p. m. at Academy Music Room. Secretary, Florence Emery. Secretary, Janet Richardson.

Brotherhood, Methodist Church. Meets last Tuesday evening at 8 p. m. at North Bethel. Secretary, Donald Christie.

Parents Teacher Association. Meets third Tuesday evenings. 8-10 P. M. Mrs. Douglas, Jr. Secretary, Rita Davis.

North Waterford Club. Meets first and third Monday evenings. President, Mrs. McAllister. Secretary, Eva Schuch.

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THE OLD TIMER

"The bigger a man's head gets, the easier it is to fill his shoes."

weather.

Mrs Jo Sanderson and Mrs Kay O'Leary went to Portland, Monday, with their sister, Mrs Frank Pike.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said February. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of March A. D. 1956, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Emma L. Chapman, late of Bethel, deceased; Fourth Trust Account for benefit of Cornelia B. Chapman, presented for allowance by Georgene Faulkner and Albert J. Stearns, Trustees.

James K. Haines, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Agnes H. Haines or some other suitable person as administrator of the estate of said deceased, with bond, presented by Agnes H. Haines, widow of deceased.

Harvey N. Bragdon, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Willis E. Dunn as executor of the same, to act without bond, as expressed in said Will, presented by Willis E. Dunn, the executor therein named.

Witness, Robert T. Smith Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six.

EARLE R. CLIFFORD Register 0-11

Synopsis of the annual statement of AMERICAN CREDIT OF NEW YORK

Baltimore, Maryland on the 31st day of December 1955 made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Maine

Assets

Bonds \$12,582,773.15

Stocks 1,844,032.83

Cash and Bank Deposits 1,480,229.57

Other Assets 238,940.09

Totals Assets \$16,225,042.59

Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds

Reserve for Losses \$1,681,287.50

Loss Adjust Expenses 119,000.00

Unearned Premiums 2,907,177.03

Taxes 678,174.84

All Other Liabilities 514,933.10

Total Liabilities \$5,691,572.47

Special Surplus Funds \$42,940.77

Capital Paid Up or Status- tory Deposit 1,500,000.00

Unassigned Funds (Surplus as Regards Policyholders 924,763.45

8-10 Total \$16,225,042.59

STATE OF MAINE

TO THE HONORABLE JUSTICES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT to be held at Paris, within and for said County of Oxford, on the second Tuesday of May, A. D. 1956.

Respectfully Represents William C. Holway resident at Norway in the County of Oxford and State of Maine that he was lawfully married to Marjorie S. Holway of Un- known at Boston in the County of Suffolk and State of Massachusetts on the 29th day of May A. D. 1925,

by a minister duly authorized to solemnize marriages therein;

That the Libellant and Libellee cohabited in this State after their said marriage;

That the Libellant resided in this State when the cause of divorce accrued as hereinafter set forth;

That the Libellant has resided in this State in good faith for one year prior to the commencement of these proceedings;

That the Libellee is a resident of this State;

That the Libellant has ever been faithful to his marriage obligations but that the said Libellee has been unmindful of the same;

That there is no collusion between your Libellant and the said Libellee to obtain a divorce;

That on the first day of July A. D. 1947, said Libellee utterly deserted your Libellant without reasonable cause and has continued said desertion for three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel;

That said Libellee has been guilty of extreme cruelty toward your said Libellant;

That the said Libellee has been guilty of cruel and abusive treatment toward your Libellant.

That children have been born to them during their said marriage, of whom all now living, viz.: none minor.

Wherefore your Libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony between himself and the said Libellee may be decreed;

And your Libellant further alleges that the residence of said Libellee is unknown to your Libellant and cannot be ascertained by reasonable diligence.

Dated at Rumford, Maine this twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1956.

William C. Holway Libellant STATE OF MAINE

Oxford, ss. Rumford, Maine February 21st A. D. 1956

Personally appeared William C. Holway above named Libellant and made oath that the foregoing allegation as to the residence of the Libellee is true.

Before me, William E. McCarthy Notary Public

STATE OF MAINE County of Oxford, ss. Superior Court in Vacation

February 23 A. D. 1956 Upon the foregoing Libel, ORDERED: That the Libellant give notice to the said Marjorie S. Holway to appear before the Justice of our Superior Court to be held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the second Tuesday of May A. D. 1956, by publishing an attached copy of said libel, and the order thereon three weeks successively in the Bethel, Oxford County, Citizen, a newspaper printed in Bethel, in our County of Oxford, the last publication to be thirty days at least prior to said second Tuesday of May, 1956, that she may there and then in our said Court appear and show cause if any she have, why the prayer of said Libellant should not be granted.

Leonard F. Williams Justice of the Superior Court

A true copy of the libel and order of court thereon.

Attest: Robert F. Aldrich, Clerk 0-11

IN ENGLAND WITH MISS LAURA WILSON

Continued from Last Week

Dec. 18 A very merry Christmas to you all. Although I am many, many miles from you all, I will think of you often this day.

As I take part in the Christmas festivities here in England, I find the miles make no difference at this time of year. Special choirs are trained for the singing of Christmas music. Organists practice again the old carols with their own variations. The stores deck out in festive colors. The toys look very American-like.

The Christmas services I have attended are very much alike. Only the quality of music and the setting differ. The large cathedrals are more impersonal. St. Mary's service was highly formal. We had to wear our caps and gowns. To-night Jane and I went to a small church in South Kensington to a very pleasant one. When you enter the church, you kneel for a few moments as you do again later after the candlelight processional. From that point on Scripture readings and carols alternate. There is only one trouble. Some of the tunes are very different from ours.

O Little Town of Bethlehem has two tunes, both of which are new to me. Jane and I almost go into shakes when one of us, usually me, goes up when everyone else is going down.

I am not sure yet about the family observance of Christmas; however, I will be in an English family home on Christmas Eve and Day, so will be able to tell you later. I have heard that everyone goes to church in the morning after which they have a huge dinner of turkey, etc. much like our Thanksgiving Dinner. At 3:00 everyone turns on the radio to hear the Queen speak. Oh, yes, we must not forget the very rich Christmas pudding, raisins.

The days preceding Christmas have made the season more meaningful to me than it has ever been before. This week I have been staying at the Friend's International House in London. It is run by the Quakers who are among the most peaceable people in the world and the most enjoyable. As the title of the place indicates they cater primarily to foreign students. One morning at breakfast there were eight people of eight different nationalities sitting at the table.

Africa, Australia, Europe, and America were represented. There was no strain although most of us had not met before. We laughed and joked and had a wonderful time. I thought at that time "Why don't we live together in the world with the same understanding?"

Just now there is a group of us sitting to records in a room with warm fire and very nice Christmas decorations complete with trees, green boughs, etc. very quiet except for the occasional girl who is rather a wild cat in a quiet sort of way. Off-

and I would say that six national-

ities are here.

Well, this has turned into quite a sermon. But I feel very fortunate to be a part of this fellowship.

Don't eat too much. With much love at this Christmas time, I join

with you in your prayer for a peaceful world.

With hopes for a jolly merry Christmas.

Cheerio—Laura

Continued Next Week

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